ABSTRACT

To reduce the waste of the storage capacity of a storage medium as much as possible while realizing high-speed dubbing.

A data processor can write a data stream on each of storage media of first and second types and includes: a receiving section for receiving a first data stream; a converting section for converting the first data stream into a second data stream; a processing section for writing the first and second data streams on the first type of storage medium; a playback section for playing back a content based on the first data stream; and an instruction receiving section for receiving, from a user, an instruction on whether the content needs to be dubbed or not. If the user has instructed that the content be dubbed, the processing section reads the second data stream from the first type of storage medium, writes the second data stream on the second type of storage medium, and then deletes the second data stream from the first type of storage medium.